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1. The following Yugoslav youth brigades have been trained in the USSR.

<u>Number and Name of Brigade</u>	<u>Strength</u>
X Mika Mitrovic	216
XIV Mahmut Ducatryjn	212
XV Bajo Sekulic	194
XVI Mirko Tomioevic	104
XVII Vlado Kustevic	107
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2. The brigades have been trained in mountain fighting and in co-operation with the police. Each brigade is to have three commanders who will be, from the point of view of the Tito government, men of unimpeachable character and security.
3. Tito has ordered that headquarters and staffs of the brigades be located in places which make it impossible to distinguish between brigade members and the local populace. Relatives of brigade members may not be employed in areas where the brigade members are stationed.

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